

IN THE CLAIMS:

The following is a complete listing of the claims. This listing replaces all earlier versions and listings of the claims.

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Claims 1-28 (canceled)

Claim 29 (new): An image processing apparatus comprising:

image taking means for taking an image;

display control means for controlling to display an image taken by said

image taking means;

selection means for selecting an image as an object for re-taking from

among the already taken images displayed by said display control means; and

re-taking instruction means for instructing said image taking means to re-take an image corresponding to the image selected by said selection means.

Claim 30 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 29, wherein when re-taking of an image is instructed by said re-taking instruction means, said display control means controls to display the image of the object for re-taking and the re-taken image.

Claim 31 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 30, further comprising output image selection means for selecting an image to be outputted externally from said image processing apparatus from among the images of the object for re-taking and the

re-taken image when the image of the object for re-taking and the re-taken image are displayed by said display control means.

Claim 32 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 29, wherein said display control means controls to display an identification mark for the image not selected by said output image selection means.

Claim 33 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 29, further comprising attaching means for attaching an image taking ID to the image taken by said image taking means.

Claim 34 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 33, wherein said attaching means attaches, to the re-taken image, the same image taking ID as the image taking ID attached to the image selected by said selection means, when re-taking is instructed by said re-taking instruction means.

Claim 35 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 33, wherein the image taking ID includes at least one of a name of an inspected person, image taking body part, image taking direction, and image taking condition.

Claim 36 (new): An image processing apparatus comprising:  
image taking means for taking an image in association with an image taking ID;

storage means for storing the image taking ID of the image taken by said image taking means; and

output image set means for setting a previously taken image as the image to be outputted externally from said image processing apparatus, when the image is taken by said image taking means in association with the same image taking ID as the image taking ID stored in said storage means.

Claim 37 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 36, further comprising display control means for controlling to display the taken image having the same image taking ID, when the image is taken by said image taking means in association with the same image taking ID as the image taking ID stored in said storage means.

Claim 38 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 37, wherein said display control means controls to display an identification mark for the image other than the image to be outputted externally.

Claim 39 (new): An image processing apparatus according to claim 36, wherein for image taking ID includes at least one of a name of an inspected person, image taking body part, image taking direction, and image taking condition.

Claim 40 (new): An image processing method for controlling an image processing apparatus, said method comprising:

an image taking step, of taking an image;

a display control step, of controlling to display an image taken in said image taking step;

a selection step, of selecting an image as an object for re-taking from among the already taken images displayed in said display control step; and

a re-taking instruction step, of instructing said image taking step to re-take an image corresponding to the image selected in said selection step.

Claim 41 (new): An image-processing method according to claim 40, wherein when re-taking of an image is instructed in said re-taking instruction step, said display control step controls to display the image of the object for re-taking and the re-taken image.

Claim 42 (new): An image processing method according to claim 41, further comprising an output image selection step, of selecting an image to be outputted externally from the image processing apparatus from among the images of the object for re-taking and the re-taken image when the image of the object for re-taking and the re-taken image are displayed in said display control step.

Claim 43 (new): An image processing method according to claim 40, wherein said display control step controls to display an identification mark for the image not selected in said output image selection step.

Claim 44 (new): An image processing method according to claim 40, further comprising an attaching step, of attaching an image taking ID to the image taken in said image taking step.

Claim 45 (new): An image processing method according to claim 44, wherein said attaching step attaches, to the re-taken image, the same image taking ID as the image taking ID attached to the image selected in said selection step, when re-taking is instructed in said re-taking instruction step.

Claim 46 (new): An image processing method according to claim 44, wherein the image taking ID includes at least one of a name of an inspected person, image taking body part, image taking direction, and image taking condition.

Claim 47 (new): An image processing method for controlling an image processing apparatus, said method comprising:

an image taking step, of taking an image in association with an image taking ID;

a storage step, of storing the image taking ID of the image taken in said image taking step; and

an output image set step, of setting a previously taken image as the image to be outputted externally from the image processing apparatus, when the image is taken in said image taking step in association with the same image taking ID as the image taking ID stored in said storage step.

Claim 48 (new): An image processing method according to claim 47, further comprising a display control step, of controlling to display the taken image having the same image taking ID, when the image is taken in said image taking step in association with the same image taking ID as the image taking ID stored in said storage step.

Claim 49 (new): An image processing method according to claim 48, wherein said display control step controls to display an identification mark to the image other than the image to be outputted to the external.

Claim 50 (new): An image processing method according to claim 47, wherein the image taking ID includes at least one of a name of an inspected person, image taking body part, image taking direction, and image taking condition.

Claim 51 (new): A storage medium for storing a program for executing an image processing method for controlling an image processing apparatus, said program comprising:

- code for an image taking step, of taking an image;
- code for a display control step, of controlling to display an image taken in said image taking step;
- code for a selection step, of selecting an image as an object for re-taking from among the already taken images displayed in said display control step; and
- code for a re-taking instruction step, of instructing said image taking step to re-take an image corresponding to the image selected in said selection step.

Claim 52 (new): A storage medium for storing a program for executing an image processing method for controlling an image processing apparatus, said program comprising:

code for an image taking step, of taking an image in association with an

image taking ID;

code for an storage step, of storing the image taking ID of the image

taken in said image taking step; and

code for an output image set step, of setting a previously taken image as

the image to be outputted to an external, when the image is taken in said image taking step in association with the same image taking ID as the image taking ID stored in said storage step.

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